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We Must Respond to Consumer Needs

- 90% of shoppers believe they can reduce the risk of disease by eating healthful foods
- Demo/sampling opportunities at point of sale move customers to trial and create strong support for 5 A Day
- Customers want specific information about produce
 - health/nutrition benefits
 - selecting, preparing and storing
 - · easy recipe ideas
- Incorporate elements that appeal to kids into promotions

Long-Standing Partnerships

The Retail Program has worked extensively with the following organizations and wishes to thank them for their support:

California Tree Fruit Agreement St.

Albertson's Stater Brothers

KV Mart Food For Less
Ralph's Von's

Safeway Save-Mart

Their help has enabled us to touch over 75% of low-income Californians since 1995. Without them, we would not have been able to continue our success or effectively plan for 2002.

Fresh Express



- 90% liked 5 A Day materials
- Most popular were recipe cards, cookbooks and shelf talkers
- 93% agreed that participating in 5 A Day activities would increase produce sales
- 73% felt it would be beneficial to have POS materials in Spanish and English
- 80% agreed that doing 5 A Day activities in the store would increase customer awareness of the importance of eating more fruits and vegetables

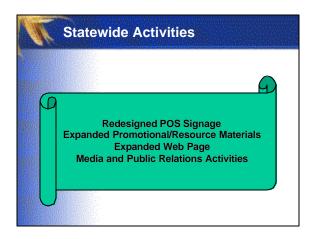
















Why a Regional Focus in 2002?

- Test new concepts before committing a large amount of resources
- Concentrate on areas of the state in 2002 where California 5 a Day is most active
- Enable us to effectively chart a new course
- Enable us to perform stronger evaluations which complement Campaign efforts as a whole

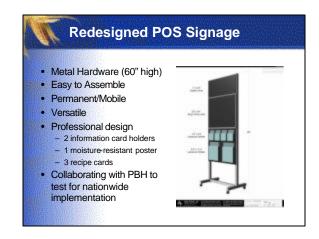
Recipe Cards

- Included with each semi-annual promotion and in each monthly event kit
- Quick, easy 5 A Day recipes
- Bilingual information
- Available in hard copy format, on CD-ROM and downloadable online



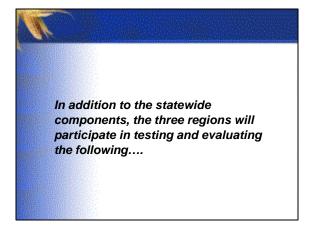
Information Cards • Included with each semi-annual promotion and in each monthly event kit - Tips for schoolage children - Healthy eating tips for families - Cooking and storage guidelines • Available in hard copy format, on CD-ROM and downloadable online

















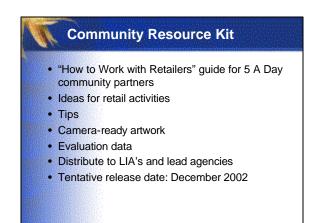












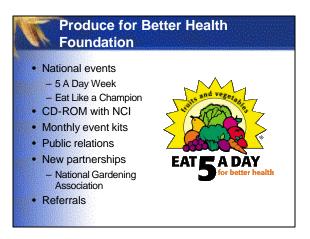












Tip Sheets • Full page sheet provides general health information and quick meal solutions • Develop for public relations and media events like radio remotes, food demonstrations, statewide activities and media tours • Downloadable online











- Administered to store managers in combination with store sales and food stamp participation data
- Will evaluate the effect of 5 A Day activities on produce sales and food stamp participation
- Developing components of survey in 2002



Planned: Shopper Survey Administered to store customers at the point of purchase Evaluates 5 A Day retail activities and awareness of the 5 A Day message Used to gauge success of 5 A Day messages and retail strategies

Incorporating into 2002 activities





What's on the Horizon for 2003?

- Enhanced relationships
- Added-value partnerships
- Diffuse 5 A Day throughout the store
 - frozen food, canned fruit and vegetable aisles
 - checkout stand
- Provide additional POS components
 - additional materials (i.e., floor and glass door graphics)
- Advertising and direct mail partnerships
- Materials targeted to educating store personnel
- Merchandising partnerships

